

PRIME SOILS List - Hampden & Hampshire Counties, Eastern part, MASSACHUSETTS						
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For map units where two or more components are named, the unit's P/S&L/O/U rating is based on the most						
limiting component.						
Units that are suited to the production of feed, fiber and forage crops. cap: capability subc: subclass						
subc: subclass e: erodible s: stony, droughty, or shallow w: wet Class 1 has very few limitations for agriculture.						
Publ. Sym.	Slp Rng(%)	Map Unit Name	cap cls	subc	State Sym.	
MeA	0 to 3	Merrimac sandy loam	2	s	254A	
MeB	3 to 8	Merrimac sandy loam	2	s	254B	
MoB	3 to 8	Montauk fine sandy loam	2	e	300B	
PaB	3 to 8	Paxton fine sandy loam	2	e	305B	
Pv	0 to 3	Pootatuck fine sandy loam	2	w	2A	
SgB	3 to 8	Scituate fine sandy loam	2	w	315B	
SuA	0 to 3	Sudbury fine sandy loam	2	w	260A	
SuB	3 to 8	Sudbury fine sandy loam	2	e	260B	
		A slope = 0 - 3 % slope, unless otherwise noted				
		B slope = 3 - 8 %				
		C slope = 8 - 15 %				
		D slope = 15 - 25 %				
		E slope = 25 - 45 %				